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Andrew V. Anderson, et al.

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed January 31, 2002,

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- (2) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;

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- (3) Submission of Substitute Drawings for Figures 1-4, consisting of 4 sheets, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84(g); and
- (4) a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the fee for missing parts, in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.16(l).

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Respectfully submitted,

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS UNDER 37 CFR §1.84

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional  
Application mailed January 31, 2002, please find substitute drawings for  
Figures 1-4, consisting of 4 sheets, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84(g).

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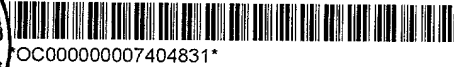
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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